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September 21, 2005
(Date)Rebecca A. Bellas
(Type or print name of faxing mailing paper)**Attorney Docket No. MITSP101US****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re patent application of

Applicants:	Kohmura, et al.	:	Group Art Unit:	----
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Serial No.:	10/526,688	:	Examiner:	----
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Filed:	March 3, 2005	:		

Title: METHOD OF MODIFYING POROUS FILM, MODIFIED POROUS FILM
 AND USE THEREOF

REPLY TO NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

John L. Anderson
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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Mr. Anderson:

Per our telephone conversation today with regard to the subject application, this is a response to the "Notice of Missing Requirements" mailed on September 16, 2005, copy enclosed.

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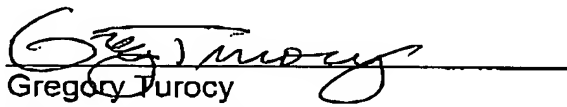
The Notice indicates that the last name of the first inventor is spelled different on the Declaration than on the published international application. In response, attached hereto is a copy of the PCT Request Form (PCT/RO/101) which accurately lists the spelling of the first inventor as Kazuo Kohmura. The PCT Request form is consistent with the Declaration-Power of Attorney (copy attached hereto) which was filed with the instant application on March 3, 2005. It appears that the PCT Office or WIPO made a typographical error in printing the publication by misspelling the last name of the first inventor as Komura.

Therefore, it is believed that applicants are in compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 371, and a new Declaration and surcharge are not required.

If there are any fees with the filing of this document they can be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1063. Any overpayment can be credited to Deposit Account No. 50-1063.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/03/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 03/03/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/03/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/03/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 03/03/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 03/03/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/03/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/03/2005
- Assignment filed on 03/03/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 03/03/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - The last name of the 1st inventor is spelled different on the declaration than on the published international application. Please clarify.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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